

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of: Rick K. SOUTHERN et al.

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For: METHODS FOR ATTACHING SOLID  
HARDWOOD FLOOR PLANKS TO  
CONCRETE FLOOR SURFACES

Attorney Docket No.: 104981-4000

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)**

**Mail Stop Appeal Brief - Patents**

Commissioner for Patents

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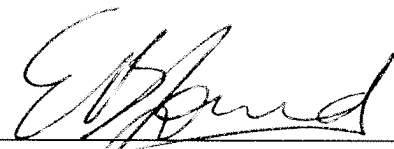
Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for filing an Appeal Brief be extended for a period of one (1) month from June 18, 2008, the date now set, to and including July 18, 2008.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$60.00 (small entity). Please charge the required fee and any additional fees to Winston & Strawn LLP Deposit Account No. 50-1814.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: July 18, 2008

  
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